

REMARKS

The Office Action and prior art relied upon have been carefully considered. In an effort to expedite the prosecution claims 1, 6, and 7 have been canceled. Claims 2-5 and 8 have been indicated as allowable. Claim 2 has been amended to appear in independent form, incorporating the subject matter of claim 1 but with the clarifications required by the Examiner. Accordingly claims 2-5 and 8 are in condition for allowance.

The specification has been reviewed and headings have been provided along with corrections of several informalities. Further, Figs 1-3 are labeled as prior art to conform to the description.

In view of the above, consideration and allowance are, therefore, respectfully solicited.

In the event the Examiner believes an interview might serve to advance the prosecution of this application in any way, the undersigned attorney is available at the telephone number noted below.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees, or credit any overpayment, associated with this communication, including any extension fees, to CBLH Deposit Account No. 22-0185.

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